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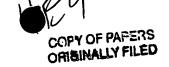
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### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows.

#### IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete line 5 of page 49 and replace with the new paragraph below as follows.

1. 1

X is  $CHR^{16}NR^{17}$ ;

Please delete line 25 of page 55 and replace with the new paragraph below as follows.

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X is  $CHR^{16}NR^{17}$ ;

#### IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 8 and 13 as follows.

8. (AMENDED) The compound of claims 1-7, wherein:

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